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English Language Documents

1. Glassner, Andrew S., "The Radiance Equation," <u>Principles of Digital Image Synthesis</u>, Volume Two, Morgan Kaufmann Publishers, Inc. San Francisco, CA, (1995), pp. 871-882.

Foreign-Language Documents

The following foreign-language documents are being brought to the attention of the Examiner along with a concise explanation of the relevance of each document, as it is presently understood by the individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) most knowledgeable about the content of the information in each document.

None

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